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LATVIAN INDUSTRY COMPLETES FEBRUARY PLAN

Latvian industry completed the February plan for gross production 105.4 percent. The following figures were given for the general types of industries:

	<u>Percent of Feb 49 Plan</u>
Union Industry	105
Republic Industry	106
Uyend (city) Industry	111
Cooperative Industry	100

The following figures were given for the individual ministries:

	<u>Percent of Feb 49 Plan</u>
Ministry of Local Industry	107
Ministry of Local Fuel Industry	106
Ministry of Light Industry	104
Ministry of Construction Materials Industry	118
Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry	104
Ministry of Food Industry	101
Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry	150
Ministry of Fishing Industry	110
Administration of Polygraphy, Publishing, and Book Trade	110

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The individual cooperative systems fulfilled their plans as follows:

	<u>Percent of Feb 49 Plan</u>
Administration of Trade Cooperatives	100
Union of Invalids' Cooperatives	107
Union of Dairy Cooperatives	121

Gross production in February 1949 was 132 percent of the February 1948 figure.

Ministries and cooperative industries failing to complete plans for various products were as follows: Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry, fat and oil; Ministry of Fishing Industry, fish; Ministry of Local Industry, radio receiving sets, iron castings, shoes, and leather uppers; Ministry of Food Industry, bakery products, groats, flour, and vegetable oil; Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry, veneer; Ministry of Light Industry, children's hosiery, knitted underwear, chrome, sheepskin, and bicycle tires; Ministry of Construction Materials Industry, fired bricks; Ministry of Local Fuel Industry, peat and peat briquettes; Administration of Trade Cooperatives, knitted outerwear, knitted underwear, hosiery, hard leather goods and leather uppers, tawed leather, shoes, logging and hauling of industrial timber and firewood; Union of Invalids' Cooperatives, hosiery, shoes, and confectionery and sausage products.

The February plan for production of chief industrial products was fulfilled as follows:

	<u>Percent of Feb 49 Plan</u>	<u>Feb 49 in % of Feb 48</u>
Generation of electric power	112	110
Steel	111	118
Iron castings	100.5	131
Superphosphate	112	174
Sulfuric acid	102	158
Hydroturbines	360	450
Motor cars	100	200
Trolley cars	100	---
Universal woodworking machines	113	164
Telephone equipment for automatic telephone exchanges	100	110
Threshing machines	156	280
Ploughs	302	100.1
Logging of industrial timber (by Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry)	141	42

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Lumber (by Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry)	115	133
Tar paper	141	143
Slate	111	149
Lime (by Ministry of Construction Materials Industry)	100	94
Matches	123	150
Cigarettes	122	120
Paper	113	165
Sulfite cellulose	100.7	---
Various types of shoes	99.9	171
Rubber shoes	112	176
Cotton fabric	100.3	137
Woolen fabric	106	109
Linen fabric	105	119
Silk fabric	100.3	216
Hosiery	99.7	190
Knitted outerwear	80	124
Building nails	138	122
Aluminum dishware	97	126
Furniture	111	115
Bread and bakery products	87	90
Sausage products	106	141
Nonalcoholic beverages	78	233
Animal oil (excluding oil bought at market prices)	95	126
40-percent cheese	84	126
Canned fish products	114	61
Alcohol	205	255

Fulfillment of the February gross-production plan by various enterprises was as follows:

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Percent of
Feb 49 Plan

Ministry of Local Industry

Riga Nut and Bolt Plant	129
Riga Chemical Combine	124
Riga Glazed Pottery Plant	115
"Ilgetsivems" Glass Plant	111
"Sarkanays Metallurys" Plant	110
Superphosphate plant	110
"Darba spars" Plant	103
"Radiotekhnika" Plant	103
"Sarkana Zvaygzne" Bicycle Plant	103
Riga Porcelain Plant	82

Ministry of Light Industry

"Varonis" Rubber Plant	132
"Meteor" Rubber Plant	119
"Kommunar" Tannery	113
"Sarkanays kvadrats" Rubber Plant	112
"Yuglas Manufaktura" Factory	104
"Rizhskiy tekstil'" Textile Factory	103
"8 Marta" Factory	103
"Mara" Knitting Factory	103
"Parizhskaya Kommuna" Factory	101
"Zasulayka Manufaktura" Factory	101.9
"Rigas Manufaktura" Factory	100.9
"Bol'shevichka" Factory	100.7
"1 Maya" Shoe Factory	100.1
"Sarkana Tekstil'niyetse" Factory	100.1
"Sarkanays Rits" Factory	94

Ministry of Construction Materials Industry

"Segums" Tar Paper Plant	140
Riga Tile Plant	135
Riga Slate Plant	134
"Rigips" Riga Dry Plaster and Gas Concrete Plant	128
Tsisis Construction Materials Plant	126
Brotsenskiy Combine	118
"Tuya" Brick Plant	116
"Serkandaugava" Glass Plant	115
Riga Cement Plant	106

Ministry of Fish Industry

"Kayya" Canning Factory	139
"Latviyas Konservy" Canning Factory	114

Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry

"Vulkan" Plywood Plant in Kuldiga	161
"Ligate" Paper Factory	155
"Buvgaldniyek" Furniture Factory	124
"Vezuvs" Match Factory	121
"Lignums" Plywood Plant	119
"Sloka" Cellulose and Paper Combine	118
"Ventapils Koks" Sawmill	104
"Kometa" Match Factory	100.1

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Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry

Riga Meat-Canning Combine	152
Riga Dairy Combine	148

Ministry of Food Industry

Brewery No 1	148
Tobacco Factory No 1	122
"Layma" Confectionery Factory	114
Brewery No 4	104
"17 Iyunya" Confectionery Factory	100.3
Riga Vodka Distillery	73

Union Enterprises

Turbo-machine plant	150
Machine shop of Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry	147
Electrical equipment plant of Ministry of Construction of Heavy Industry Enterprises	129
Kegumskaya Hydroelectric Power Plant	126
"Etalon" Plant	120
Car-building plant	111
Woodworking combine of Ministry of Petroleum Industry	109
Pharmaceutical Plant No 3	107
Machine-building plant of Ministry of River Fleet USSR	106
"Avtoelektropribor" Plant	106
Chemical-pharmaceutical plant	106
Riga plant of "Mashrentrest" (Machine Repair Trust)	105
"VEF" Electrotechnical Plant (preliminary figures)	103
Riga Ship-Repair Plant	103
"Gidrometpribor" (hydrometric instruments) Plant	100.8
Cartographic Factory	100.5
Machine-repair plant of Ministry of Transportation USSR	100.4
Riga Petroleum Refinery	99.4
Cork and linoleum plant	81
Daugavpils Locomotive Repair Plant	81

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Latvian Railroad System

Loading		113.3
Unloading		92.3
Car turnover		93.5
Locomotive repair		
Overhauling	125	
Washing		99
Repair of freight cars		
Capital repair		138.3
Medium repair		99.3
Main Administration of Automobile Transport of Soviet of Ministers of Latvian SSR		
Freight hauled		111.9
Passenger traffic		134.9
Ton-kilometers		100.0
Passenger-kilometers		118.1

The volume of capital construction fulfilled in January-February 1949 comprised 47 percent of the first-quarter plan.

Figures for the individual ministries and organizations are as follows:

	<u>Percent of 1st Quarter Plan</u>
Administration for Utilization of Small Rivers for Transport	133
Administration for Arts Affairs	127
Main Administration of Automobile Transport	109
Ministry of Fish Industry	100
Ministry of Education	96
Ministry of Local Industry	83
Main Administration of Roads	77
Ministry of Civilian Housing Construction (own capital investment)	73
Housing and hotel construction by local soviets	65
Ministry of Timber and Paper Industry	62
Ministry of Social Security	61
Ministry of Food Industry	53

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Ministry of Construction Materials Industry	51
Ministry of Meat and Dairy Industry	50
Ministry of Local Fuel Industry	49
Ministry of State Farms	38
Communal construction by local soviets	29
Ministry of Agriculture	25
Ministry of Light Industry	21

Contracting organizations fulfilled during January-February 1949 the first quarter plan for capital construction as follows:

	Percent of 1st Quarter Plan Fulfilled in Jan-Feb 49
Ministry of Civilian Housing Construction	60
Including:	
Construction and Assembly Administration No 1 in Riga	70
Construction and Assembly Administration No 3 in Yelgava	76
Construction and Assembly Administration No 5 in Daugavpils	53
Construction and Assembly Administration No 6 in Rezekne	49
Construction and Assembly Administration No 7 in Valmiera	37
Construction and Assembly Administration No 8 in Leyepaya	89
Construction and Assembly Administration No 10 in Riga	61
Special Construction and Assembly Administration No 2	46
General contracting	22
Electric Assembly Administration No 4	56
General contracting	32
Ventspils Section	54
Riga Municipal Construction-Assembly Trust	65
Daugavpils Construction-Assembly Trust	64
Construction-Assembly Bureau of Ministry of Light Industry	84

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Construction-Assembly Bureau of Ministry of
Local Industry

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The first-quarter 1949 plan for retail trade turnover was fulfilled 60.1 percent during January and February, including 60.2 percent in the retail trade network and 59.8 percent in public dining enterprises. The first-quarter plan for trade turnover was fulfilled as follows by individual trade organizations:

Percent of 1st
Quarter Plan
Fulfilled in
Jan-Feb 49

Retail Trade

Ministry of trade	64.4
"Tsentrysoyuz" System	60.9
Trade Cooperatives	58
Agricultural Cooperatives	55.8
Dairy Cooperatives Union	85.8
Invalids' Cooperatives	61.4
Ministry of Local Industry	47.5
CRSs	55.7

Turnover in Public Dining Enterprises

Ministry of Trade	57.6
"Tsentrysoyuz" System	53
CRSs	64.2
Trade Cooperatives	47.4
Dairy Cooperatives	47
Invalids' Cooperatives	88.2
Agricultural Cooperatives	31.3

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